CENWP STAFFING SHEET

RTAO: Ida Royer, CENWP-OD-B

DATE: 2 March 2016

SUBJECT: Approval letter for Gordon Axel, Northwest Fisheries Science Center (NOAA).

DESIRED

Requires OPM Signature

ACTION:

RETURN TO: Ida Royer or call 541-374-2541 if there are questions.

MFR: Please send a copy of the scanned, signed letter to <u>Tammy.M.Mackey@usace.army.mil</u>

and CC Ida.M.Royer@usace.army.mil.

REMARKS:	Name of author	CENWP-OD-B
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	Concur 2/22/16	CENWP-OD-B Royer, Ida
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	2/25/16	Mackey, Tammy
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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Bonneville Lock and Dam P.O. Box 150 Cascade Locks, OR 97014

Gordon Axel Northwest Fisheries Science Center Fish Ecology Division Pasco Research Station Pasco, WA 99301

Dear Mr. Axel:

This is in response to your February 18, 2016 letter requesting approval for access to Bonneville Project, including the Smolt Monitoring Facility (SMF), in order to conduct a BPA-funded evaluation of the PIT-tag detection efficiency at the Bonneville Second Powerhouse Corner Collector (B2CC). Fish will be tagged and held at the SMF for release at the B2CC entrance; no Project support is anticipated.

With respect to the work outlined above, your request is generally approved, provided you are able to obtain all necessary ESA and state permits. No work may begin until permits, or an explanation as to why permits are not required, are on file with Ms. Ida Royer and Ms. Tammy Mackey.

Prior to beginning work, please arrange a meeting with Ms. Ida Royer, 541-374-2541. Please remain in contact with Ms. Royer throughout your time at the dam. There are many researchers and contractors working at the dam, please work to ensure good communication and cooperation between agencies and organizations.

In addition to coordinating with Project Fisheries, you will also coordinate collection activities with SMF Personnel Rick Martinson, rickdm@gorge.net and Dean Ballinger, deanb@gorge.net.

A copy of this letter has been posted to NWP Research Access Responses found at http://www.nwd-wc.usace.army.mil/tmt/documents/FPOM/2010/NWP%20Research/Research.html. If you have questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Ms. Royer via e-mail or by phone.

Sincerely,

Jerry Carroll
Operations Manager

Bonneville Lock and Dam